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## 1.0 INTRODUCTION

This Engineering Exhibit was prepared on behalf of MS.

LORI FORBES, to support her application for a new Class C FM radio station to serve Waimea, a small community located in the northwest portion of the Island of Hawaii, State of Hawaii. Channel 256C was originally allotted to Waimea in Docket 82-483. However, the construction permit which was eventually granted has been cancelled and the allotment process reopened.

## 2.0 ALLOCATION CONDITIONS

The proposed site meets all the mileage separation requirements for a Class C station as contained in Section 73.207(b)(1) of the Commission's Rules. Table I lists the channel separation distances for all applicable channels which might have an effect upon this application, based upon data as of September 5, 1991.

## 3.0 CLASS C OPERATING CONDITIONS

The maximum Class C operating conditions are 100 kW effective radiated power ("ERP") @ 600 meters antenna height above the average terrain ("HAAT"). This application proposes an antenna HAAT of 904 meters. Therefore, the ERP must be reduced so that the 60 dBu F(50,50) field strength contour does not extend further than 92 km. With an ERP of 38 kW and an HAAT of 904 meters, the distance to the 60 dBu field strength contour will be 91.9 km, or 92 km when rounded to the nearest kilometer.

## 4.0 PROPOSED TRANSMITTER SITE

The proposed transmitter site is located 0.75 km west-southwest of Kaupulehu Crater, approximately 43 kilometers southwest of Waimea, at a developed electronics site.

Figure 1 shows a portion of the 7-1/2 minute Kailua, Hawaii, topographic quadrangle with the proposed site accurately plotted. Figure 2 is a 50% reduction of the entire Kailua topographic quadrangle where the proposed site is shown in relationship to the entire quadrangle.

Currently located at this site are a television station transmitter and an FM translator station:

KVHF-TV Channel 6 Kailua-Kona
K288CS 105.5 MHz Hawaihae

Other than the facilities of KVHF-TV and K288CS, there are no other FM transmitters or TV transmitters or any nonbroadcast radio stations within 60 meters of the site. There are no commercial or government receiving stations, cable head-end facilities or other TV transmitters within 10 km of the site. The following FM transmission facilities are located within 10 km of the site:

CALL SIGN	CHANNEL	CITY OF LICENSE	DISTANCE
KULA LIC	22901	Kailua-Kona	0.747 km
KULA CP	230C	Kailua-Kona	0.747 km
KOAS-1	221D	Kealakekua	4.284 km

The person who controls the site has agreed to the *use* of the site by the applicant as an FM transmitter site. The person who controls the site is:

Mr. Saul Levine 1500 Cotner Avenue Los Angeles, CA 90025 (213) 478-5540

## 5.0 STUDIO LOCATION AND REMOTE CONTROL POINT

It is proposed to locate the studios and the *remote* control point for the transmitter at a site in Waimea, at a location yet to be selected.

## 6.0 EMERGENCY POWER

The applicant proposes to install emergency electrical power at both the studio and transmitter sites for continuous operation in the event of an electrical failure.

## 7.0 PROPOSED OPERATING CONDITIONS

It is proposed to install a Jampro 6-bay circularly polarized FM transmitting antenna, Type JSCP-6, having 1° of electrical beam tilt. The power gain in the main beam is 3.2 and in the horizontal plane the gain is 3.07. The antenna will be mounted on an existing 61 meter guyed steel tower directly below the KVHF-TV antenna and will have its radiation center at 35 meters above ground and 1,742 meters above mean sea level. The proposed antenna elevation is shown in Figure 3 and the vertical radiation patter of the proposed antenna is shown in Figure 4.

A type-approved 20 kW FM transmitter will be operated at a power output of 12.35 kW (10.92 dBk). Connecting the transmitter to the antenna will be 40 meters of 7.62 cm air dielectric coaxial cable, having an overall efficiency of 96.2%. Under these conditions the ERP in the main beam will be 38 kW and 36.5 kW (rounded to 37 kW) in the horizontal plane. The proposed operating conditions are tabulated in Table II.

## 8.0 PROPOSED COVERAGE

# 8.1 Average Terrain Data

The site elevation was obtained from the KVHF-TV data which is already on file. Terrain data was obtained from the DMA 3-second database.

# 8.2 Prediction of Coverage

The prediction of the 70 dBu and 60 dBu field strength contours was obtained using a computer program for propagation prediction in the FM broadcast services based upon the algorithm used by the Commission. The results of the prediction of these contours, based upon both the maximum power of 38 kW in the main beam and 36.5 kW in the horizontal plane, is shown in Table III. Figure 5 shows the 70 dBu and 60 dBu coverage contours, based upon a maximum ERP in the main lobe of 38 kW, plotted on a 50% reduction of the Hawaii, Hawaii topographic map, scale 1:250,0000.

The total area enclosed within the 60 dBu contour is 5,183 square kilometers and the population within the 60 dBu contour is:

1980 Census: 33,047

1986 Update: 40,136

# 8.3 Citygrade Coverage

The 37° radial extends through the furthermost boundary of what is generally considered to be the community of Waimea. The distance to the 70 dBu contour along this radial is 67.1 km, while the distance to the furthermost Waimea boundary is 42 km. Therefore, the 70 dBu contour extends 25.1 km beyond Waimea. There are no obstructions between the proposed transmitter site and Waimea which would cause a field strength level below 70 dBu over the community.

## 9.0 FM BLANKETING CONSIDERATIONS

The distance to the proposed 115 dBu blanketing contour is 2.43 km (1.51 miles). The area within the blanketing contour is mountainous volcanic rock and is unpopulated.

## 10.0 ENVIRONMENTAL CONSIDERATIONS

## 10.1 Section 1.1305 Considerations:

The proposed site is a developed electronic site. The antenna will be mounted on an existing tower which is only 61 meters in height and, therefore, is well below the height of 91.4 meters defined by the Commission as being a "major" environmental item.

# 10.2 Human Exposure to RF Radiation:

A study was made to verify that the proposed operation did not exceed the guidelines set out in FCC OST Bulletin No. 65 with respect to RF radiation exposure to humans. Since there is an existing VHF television station operating from the site its operation must also be taken into account.

# 10.2.1 Proposed FM Station:

The proposed operating conditions of the

new station are:

MERP: Horizontal 38 kW
Vertical 38 kW
76 kW

ANTENNA POWER GAIN: 0.035 (In a downward direction, between tower & 100 meters distance from tower)

TOTAL ERP TOWARD GROUND: 2.66 kW

ANTENNA: AGL = 35 Meters or 3,500 cm SLANT DISTANCE: 40.3 Meters or 4,030 cm

The maximum power density of total

radiation in the FM band at a point 20 meters away from the base of the tower is set at  $1.0 \text{ milliwatts/cm}^2$ . The equation used for this determination is equation (4) in OST Bulletin No. 65:

$$S = \frac{(0.64) \text{ ERPI}}{(Pi)R^2}$$

Where: ERPI = Total ERP, in  $mW \times 1.64$ 

Pi = 3.1415927

R = Distance from antenna to a
 point 20 meters from the base
 of the tower, in cm.

For the proposed operation, which assumes that the radiation toward a point 20 meters from the base of the tower is  $2.66\ kW$  or  $2,660,000\ mW$ :

$$s = \frac{(0.64)(1.64)(2,660,000)}{(3.1415927)(4,030)^2}$$

 $s=0.055~\text{mW/cm}^2$  which is 5.5% of the maximum radiation permitted.

# 10.2.2 Existing Channel 6 TV Station:

The operating conditions of the Channel 6 television station, KVHF-TV, are:

ERP: 52.5 kW Visual 6.7 kW Aural

ANTENNA: AGL = 53.3 Meters

The maximum power density of total radiation at ground level for a television station operating on TV channel 6 is set at 1.0 milliwatts/cm<sup>2</sup>. The equation used in this case is equation (5) in OST Bulletin No. 65:

# $s = \frac{(2.56)(1.64)(100)(\xi^2)[(0.4)(VERP) + AERP]}{4(P1)D^2}$

Where: VERP is total peak visual ERP in watts

AERP is aural power in watts

F is typical relative field factor in downward direction (-60° to -90° elevation)

D is the distance from ground to center of radiation.

In the KVHF-TV case: VERP = 52,500 watts

AERP = 6,700 watts

F = 0.2

D = 53.3 meters

Pi = 3.1415927

$$S = \frac{(2.56)(1.64)(100)(0.2^2)[(0.4)(52500) + 67001]}{4(3.1415927)53.3^2}$$

 $S = 13.03 \text{ uW/cm}^2 \text{ or } 0.01303 \text{ mW/cm}^2, \text{ which is}$ 1.3% of the maximum radiation permitted.

#### Combined Operation: 10. 2. 3

Proposed FM Station =  $0.055 \text{ mW/cm}^2$ KVHF-TV Station = 0.013  $mW/cm^2$ 

TOTAL:

 $0.068 \, \text{mW/cm}^2$ 

The combined total represents only 6.8% of the maximum radiation permitted. Therefore, the proposed new FM station operating along with the existing channel 6 television station is well below the maximum limit of  $1.0\,$  $mW/cm^2$  and thus exceeds the requirements of OST Bulletin No. 65 and is in full compliance with the Rules.

# 10.3 Occupational Radiation Hazard Plan:

The applicant, in cooperation with any other licensees and/or permittees, will establish the following procedures to reduce the exposure to excessive levels of RF radiation for those who will be working on the tower in the vicinity of the applicant's transmitting antenna.

- 1. Post approved "RF Radiation Hazard" signs on the tower near the climbing ladder.
- 2. Require workers climbing the tower, performing work for, and at the direction of the applicant, to wear an approved radiation suit, or
- 3. Have the work done at times of the day when the station can be shut down, or
- Where a person can work safely in the vicinity of the antenna. In this regard, it may be necessary to have KVHF-TV also reduce their transmitter output power so that safe levels of RF energy will be experienced in the vicinity of the applicant's antenna.

## APPLICATION FOR CONSTRUCTION PERMIT FOR NEW FM STATION WAIMEA, HAWAII

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## AFFIDAVIT

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA )

COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES)

JOHN J. DAVIS, does hereby swear that he is a consulting electronics engineer with offices in Sierra Madre, California; that he is a Registered Professional Engineer in the State of California; that his qualifications as an expert in radio engineering are a matter of record with the Federal Communications Commission; that the foregoing engineering statement was prepared by him or under his direction; and that the statements contained therein are true of his own knowledge and belief, and as to those statements, he verily believes them to be true and correct.

September 20, 1991

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## TABLE I

## MILEAGE SEPARATION REQUIREMENTS

Title: WAIMEA, HI
Channel 256C (99.1 MHz)
Database: DW 09/05/91

Call Auth Licensee name

Latitude: 19-42-56
Longitude: 155-55-00
Safety zone: 135 km

KANDFRANCISCOKOAD INCORPORATED \*8835 380 122-26-23 247.0 3795 CLEAR IDG-RENEWAL; Network: NPR AMP

KHHH CP KHVH INCORPORATED **253C1** 60 **21-18-49** 311.6 269.2 105 HONOLULU HI **BPH-890519IA** 98.5 18 157-51-43 130.9 164.2 CLEAR CP Granted 11/27/89; Affiliated with KHVH(AM)

PRM PROPOSED RULE MAKING 254A 38-45-12 49.2 3865 95 MIDDLETOWN CA DOC-88-491 98.7 122-36-54 246.1 3770 CLEAR

KBQB CP NORTH SHORE RADIO 255Cl 100 22-12-25 308.1 454.6 209 PRINCEVILLE HI BPH-900418ML 98.9 -15 159-23-27 126.9 245.6 CLEAR CP Granted 06/19/91 per FCC release #21147 dated 06/26/91; Call Granted 08/09/91 per FCC release #164 dated 08/09/91

ALLOC 256C 20-01-24 37.0 42.8 290 99.1 155-40-12 217.1 -247 SHORT COORDINATES ASSUMED; ALLOC REOPENING PER CP CANCELLATION; Filing window 08/30-10/03/91

257A KWHZ CP M KEITH ALLGOOD 3.6 40-42-58 3840 45. 1 165 BMPH-8808101D 99.3 FERNDALE CA 124 124-12-11 241.7 3675 CLEAR CP Granted 06/20/91 per FCC release #21152 dated 07/03/91

KAGB CP AGNEW-SACHS 258Cl 100 21-18-02 311.3 268.5 105 HONOLULU HI BPH-830520AI 99.5 -117 157-51-53 130.6 163.5 CLEAR CP Granted 12/22/86; Call Granted 03/31/87

KFRC-FM LIC KYUU INCORPORATED 259B 45 37-41-15 51.1 3830 105 SAN FRANCISCO CA BLH-820419AC 99.7 378 122-26-04 247.7 3725 CLEAR Was KXXX-FM 03/02/91 per FCC release #153 dated 03/08/91; Affiliated with KNBR(AM)

>> End of channel 256C study <<

## TABLE II

## ENGINEERING SPECIFICATIONS

NEW FM STATION CHANNEL 2566, 99.1 MHz WAIMEA, HAWAII

#### a) TRANSMITTER LOCATION

19<sup>0</sup> 42' 56" North Latitude:

155<sup>0</sup> 55' 00" West Longitude:

Site is at an elevation of 1,707 meters AMSL, 0.75 km westsouthwest of the Kaupulehu Crater.

#### b) STUDIO AND REMOTE CONTROL LOCATION

To be determined

#### c) EQUIPMENT

Transmitter: Type-Approved 20 kW

Cablewave Systems, Inc. 40 Meters Transmission Line:

Type HCC300-50J

7.62 cm air dielectric

coaxial cable Attn: 0.423 dB/100 meters (0.169 dB)

Efficiency: 96.2%

Tower (Existing): 61 Meters Guyed Steel

Jampro, Model JSCP-6 6 Bay Antenna:

Power Gain:

Maximum: 3. 20 (5.05 dB) Horizontal: 3.07 (4.88 dB)

Beam Tilt: -1 degree

Null Fill: None

## TABLE II

# d) HEIGHTS Meters Height of Site Above Mean Sea Level (AMSL): 1,707 Height of Tower Above Site (AGL): 61 Overall Height of Tower AMSL: 1, 768 838 Height of Average Terrain AMSL: Height of Site Above Average Elevation: 869 Effective Height of Antenna Above Site: 35 1,742 Effective Height of Antenna AMSL: Effective Height of Antenna Above Average Terrain (HAAT): 904

# e) PROPOSED OPERATION

Transmitter Power Output (TPO):	12. 35	kW
Transmission Line Loss (96.2%):	0. 47	kW
Antenna Input Power:	11. 88	kW

	MAIN BEAM	HORIZONTAL
Antenna Gain:	3.2	3.07
Effective Radiated Power (ERP):	38.0 <b>kW</b>	36.5 kW (37.0 kW*)

\* - Rounded to the nearest kilowatt

TABLE III

TERRAIN & COVERAGE DATA

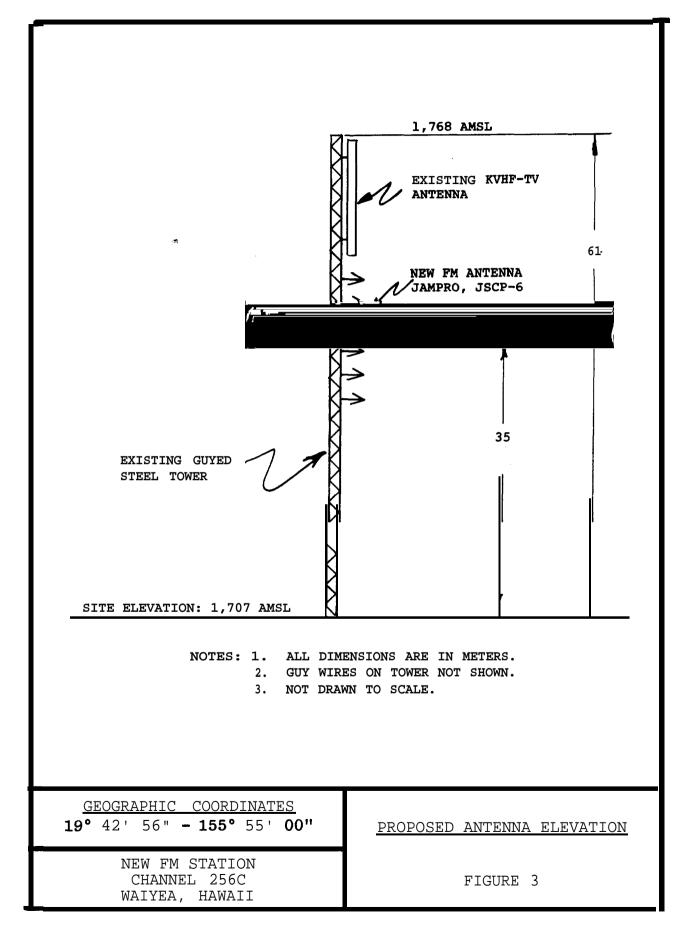
BEARING	ANTENNA HEIGHT ABOVE AVERAGE TERRAIN	70 MAX.	DISTANCE dBu HOR.	TO CONTOUR 60 MAX.	dBu HOR.
(Degrees)	(Meters)	(km)	(km)	(km)	(km)
0 10# 20# 30# 37# 45 45 45 45 60# 70# 100' 120' 135 140# 150# 160# 170# 180 225	1, 300 1, 242 1, 169 1, 022 907 906 842 764 610 470 318 134 -91 -301 -300 -164 -61 42 233 403 596 804 1, 445	74.3 73.4 72.2 69.5 67.1 65.5 63.2 58.0 50.9 42.7 29.0 14.0 14.0 14.0 14.0 14.0 14.0 14.0 14	73.9 72.9 71.7 69.1 66.7 65.1 62.8 57.6 42.4 28.7 13.9 13.9 13.9 13.9 13.9 16.4 37.3 46.9 57.1	99.7 98.8 97.6 94.7 92.0 90.2 87.8 82.4 74.7 63.9 47.5 24.9 24.9 24.9 24.9 24.9 24.9 24.9 24.9 24.9 24.9 24.8 57.6 69.8 81.8 89.1 101.6	99.2 98.3 97.1 94.2 91.6 91.6 89.8 87.4 82.0 74.2 63.5 47.1 24.7 25.6 57.6 87.6
270 315	1, 443 1, 444 1, 324	76.5 74.7	76. 0 74. 2	101. 6 99. 9	101. 3 101. 1 99. 6
AVERAGE:	904	1 1	. 2. 2	91. 9	00.0

## NOTES:

- 1. MAX. Maximum radiation in main lobe, ERP = 38 kW
- 2. HOR. Radiation in the horizontal plane, ERP = 36.5 kW
- 3. Antenna height above the average terrain based upon an antenna height of 1,742 meters AMSL.
- 4. \* Not included in average
  - \*\* Radial through Waimea, not included in average.

KAILUA QUADRANGLE HAWAII-HAWAII CO ISLAND OF HAWAII-NORTH KONA DISTRICT 7.5 MINUTE SERIES (TOPOGRAPHIC) 155°52′30″ 370 000 FEET □ 19°45′ 19" 45' 00" <del>=</del> SCALE 1:24 000 1000 1000 2000 3000 4000 5000 6000 7000 FEET 1 KILOMETER CONTOUR INTERVAL 40 FEET 330 000 Corra FEET Water Tanks W[ 1 55' 15° 5400-Himakapoula Radio Facility Keupulehu 6348 Kaluly 6 10 Orater 19° 42' 56" PROPOSED SITE H \ (1) 6965  $\mathbf{E}$ U/ 42'30" 42' 30" W Sheep Station USGS TOPOGRAPHIC 72-MINUTE QUADRANGLE FORBES: 910920A KAILUA, HAWAII PROPOSED SITE NEW FM STATION CHANNEL 256C WAIMEA, HAWAII JOHN J. DAVIS CONSULTING ENGR. FIGURE 1 SIERRA MADRE, CA

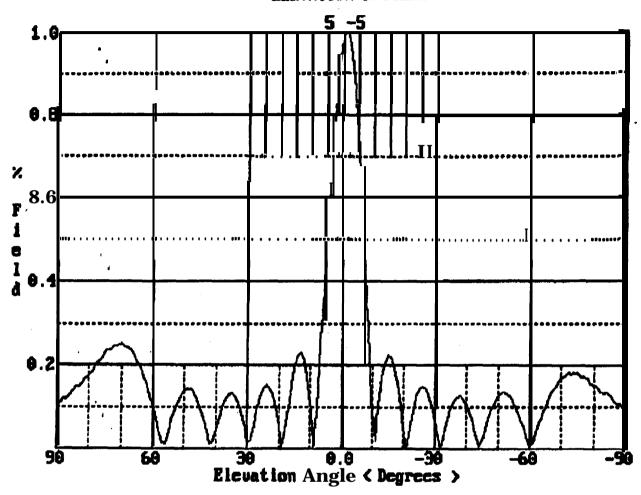
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# ANTENNA VERTICAL RADIATION PATTERN

# ELEVATION PATTERN



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Customer: WAIMEA. HAWAII	date:	09/20/91
Frequency: 99.1 MHz Type: JSCP-6		
bays: 6 spacing: 1.0 WAVE gain: 3.2		
Beam tilt: -1.0 DEGREES Null fill: 0 %		
Notes: Elevation pattern plotted in relative fie	14	

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